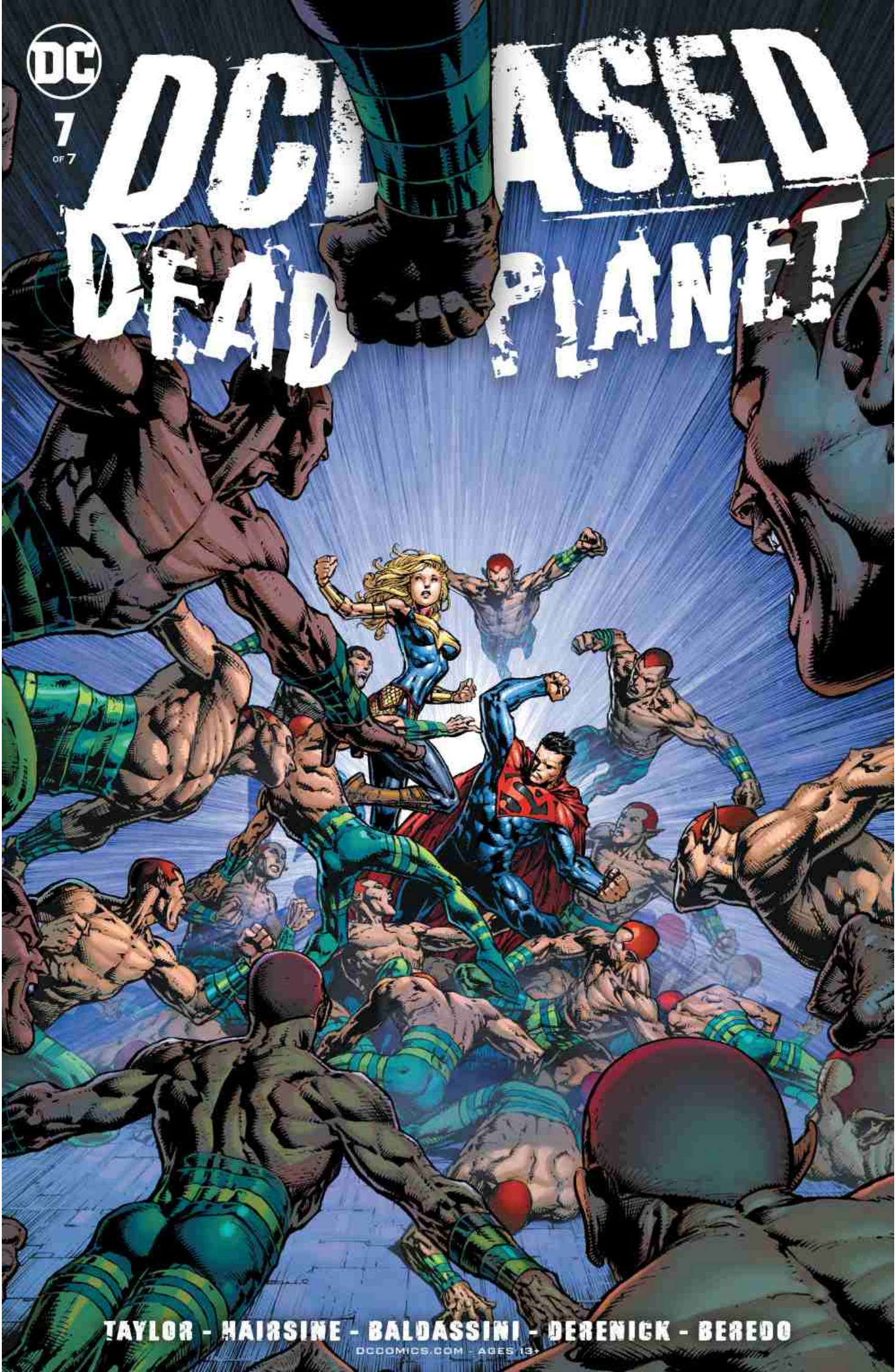
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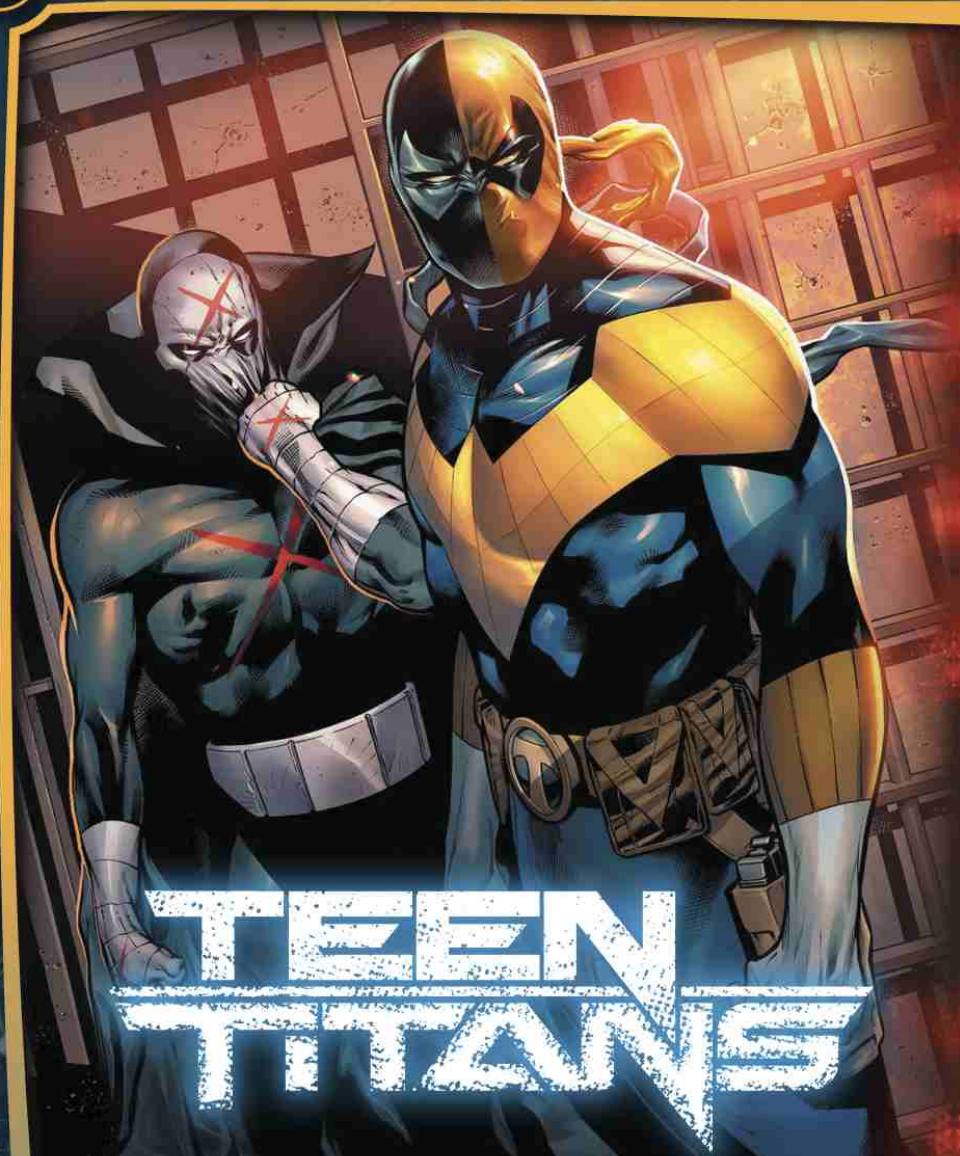

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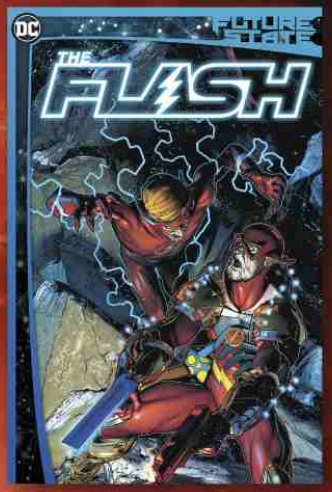

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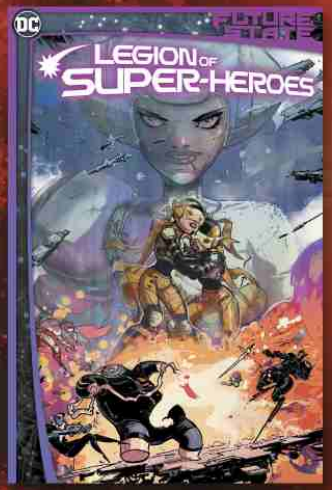

A LEGIONNAIRE BETRAYS THE ENTIRE GALAXY!

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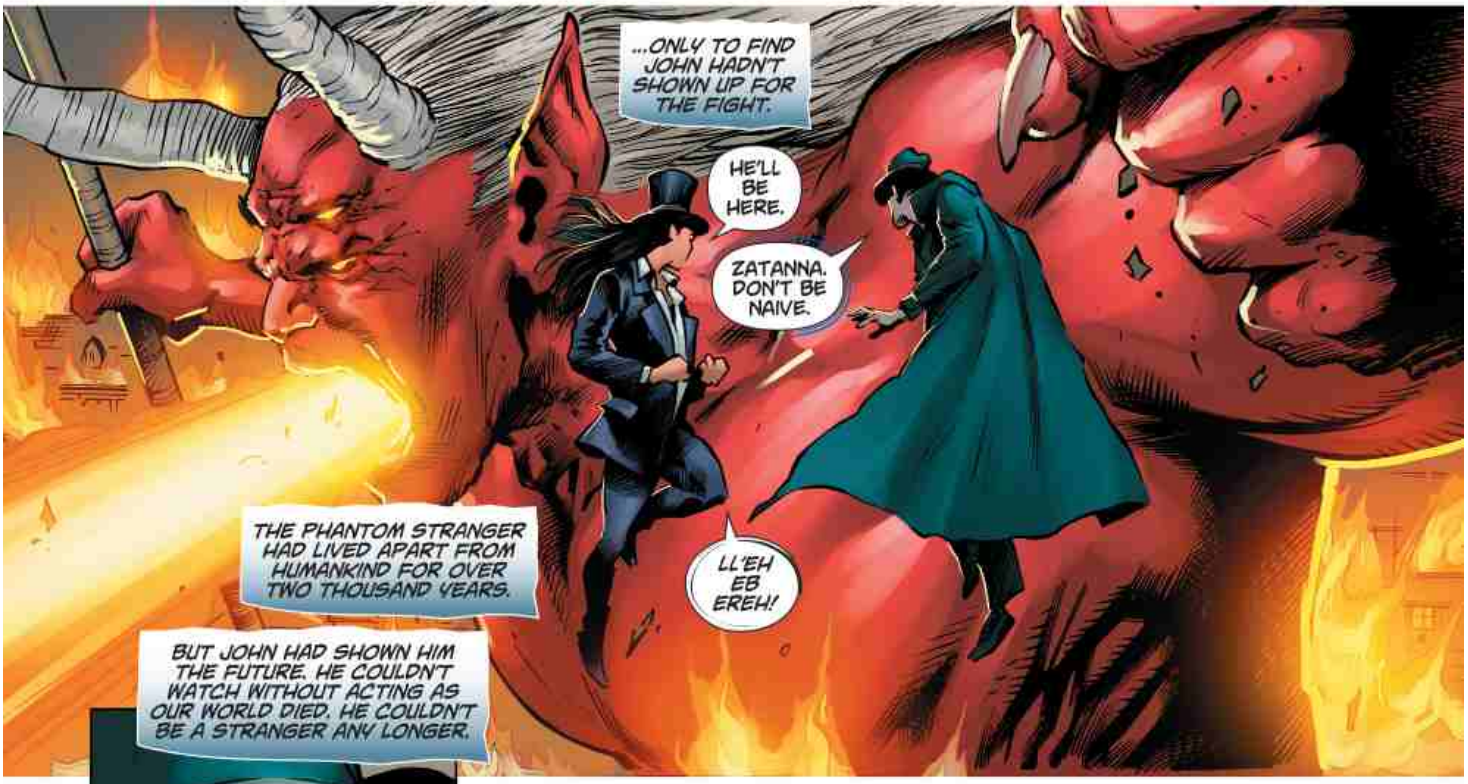
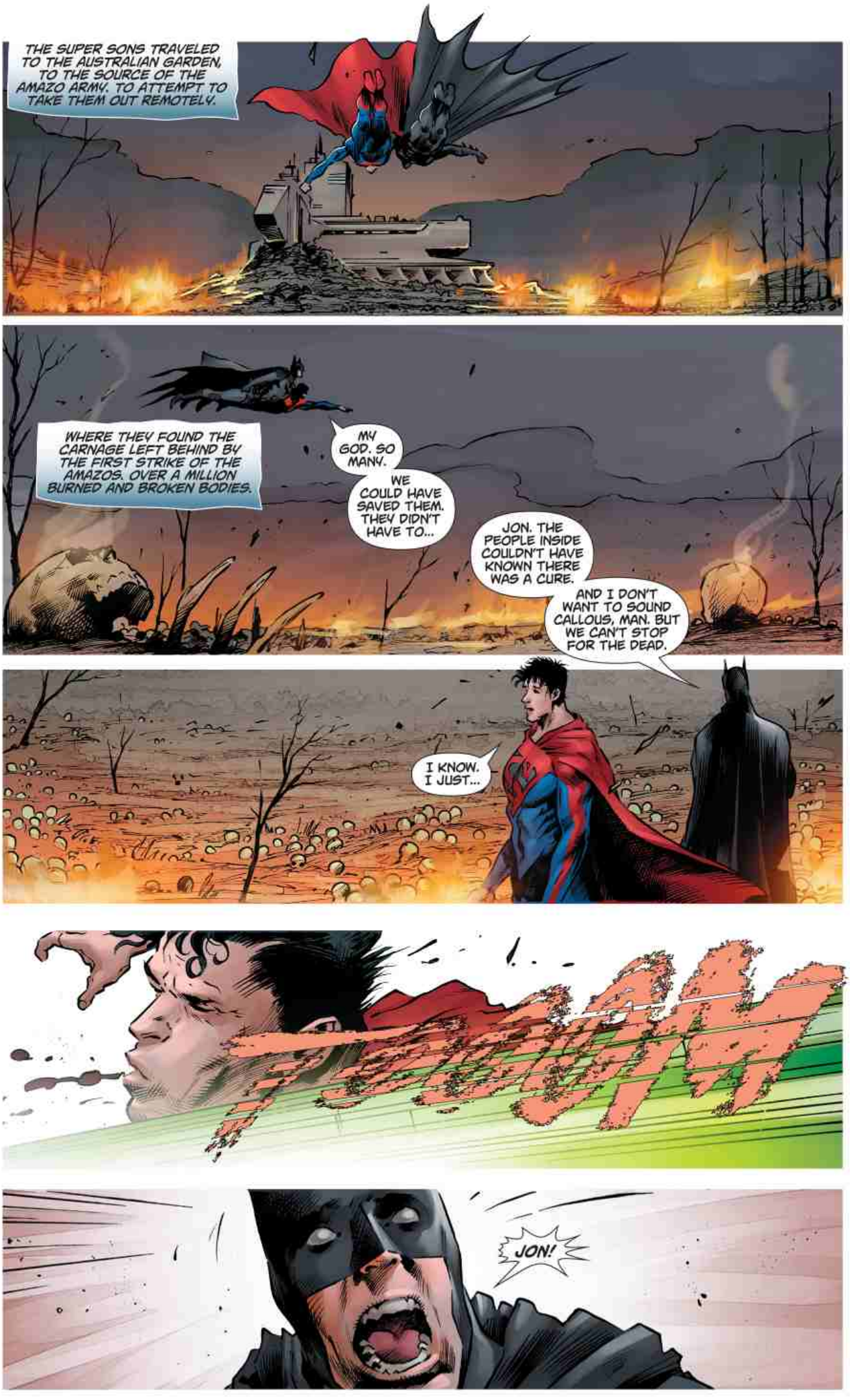
IN BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA, THE MAIN SWARM OF ANDROIDS SPREAD LIKE LOCUSTS, BRUTALLY ENDING THE UNLIVING.
UNSTOPPABLE KILLING MACHINES PROGRAMMED TO WIPE OUT ALL ANTI-LIFE ON EARTH.
RRRRRR
KRRR
BOOM
EACH AMAZO WAS CREATED TO BE STRONG ENOUGH TO FACE THE JUSTICE LEAGUE...

BOOM
...BUT THIS WASN'T THE JUSTICE LEAGUE THEY'D BEEN BUILT FOR.
DON'T HOLD BACK!
THESE WERE WARRIORS.
KRAKOOM
WIELDERS OF THE LIVING LIGHTNING.
THE GREATEST TRAINED FIGHTERS ON THE PLANET.
HOLDERS OF THE MOST POWERFUL WEAPONS IN THE UNIVERSE.
CRUNCH
AND ACTUAL GODS.
A DESPERATE LAST LINE OF DEFENSE, RISKING EVERYTHING TO PROTECT THE ANTI-LIVING FROM THE ARTIFICIALLY INTELLIGENT.
AS THE LEAGUE FOUGHT THE AMAZOS...

...THE PHANTOM STRANGER AND I TRAVELED TO PARIS TO JOIN CONSTANTINE IN THE FIGHT AGAINST TRIGON...


...ONLY TO FIND JOHN HADN'T SHOWN UP FOR THE FIGHT.
HE'LL BE HERE.
ZATANNA. DON'T BE NAIVE.
LL'EH EB EREH!
THE PHANTOM STRANGER HAD LIVED APART FROM HUMANKIND FOR OVER TWO THOUSAND YEARS.
BUT JOHN HAD SHOWN HIM THE FUTURE. HE COULDN'T WATCH WITHOUT ACTING AS OUR WORLD DIED. HE COULDN'T BE A STRANGER ANY LONGER.

TRIGON!
PHANTOM STRANGER? YOU ARE SUPPOSED TO WALK FOREVER IN LIMBO. YOU ARE NOT SUPPOSED TO CHOOSE A SIDE.
AND YET, I HAVE.


THE SUPER SONS TRAVELED TO THE AUSTRALIAN GARDEN, TO THE SOURCE OF THE AMAZO ARMY. TO ATTEMPT TO TAKE THEM OUT REMOTELY.
WHERE THEY FOUND THE CARNAGE LEFT BEHIND BY THE FIRST STRIKE OF THE AMAZOS. OVER A MILLION BURNED AND BROKEN BODIES.
MY GOD. SO MANY.
WE COULD HAVE SAVED THEM. THEY DIDN'T HAVE TO...
JON. THE PEOPLE INSIDE COULDN'T HAVE KNOWN THERE WAS A CURE.
AND I DON'T WANT TO SOUND CALLOUS, MAN. BUT WE CAN'T STOP FOR THE DEAD.
I KNOW. I JUST...
JON!

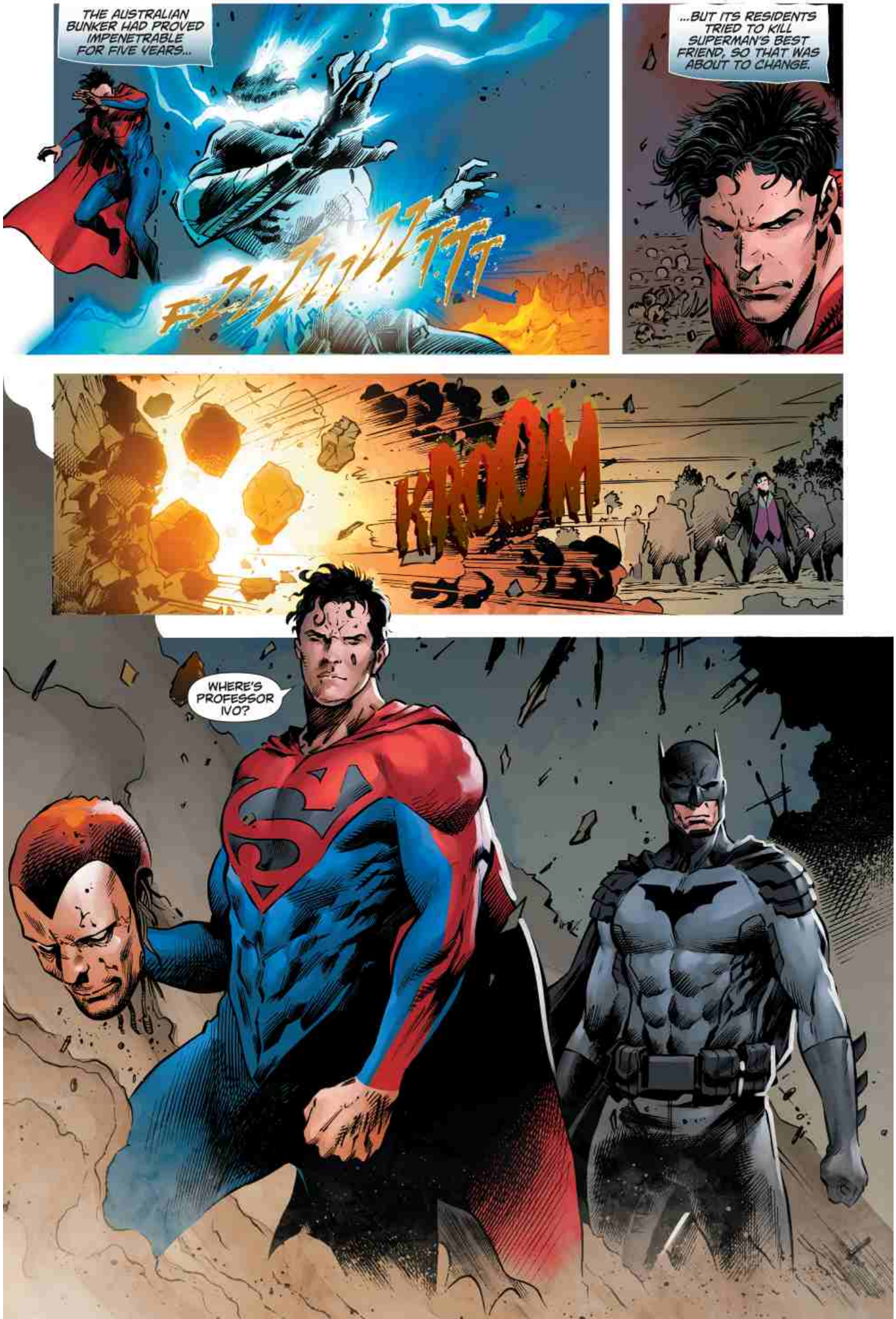
KRCH

DAMIAN!

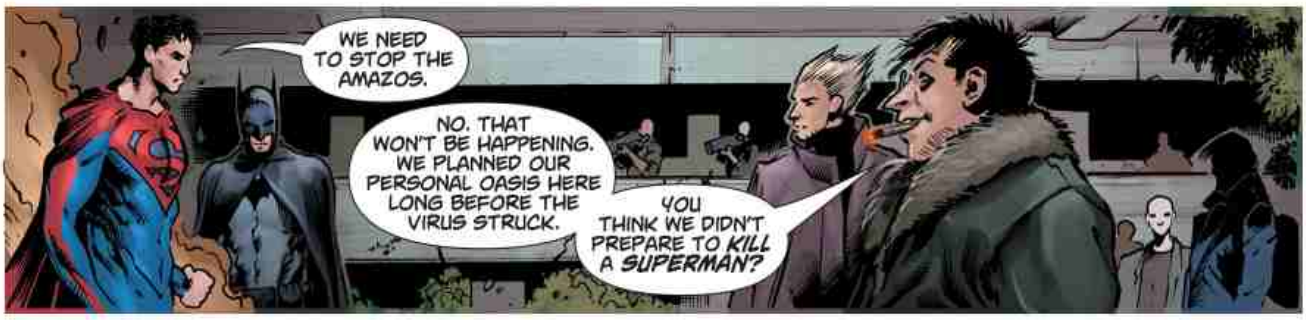
BATMAN. NOW!

KEEP HOLDING IT!

BEEP BEEP


THE AUSTRALIAN BUNKER HAD PROVED IMPENETRABLE FOR FIVE YEARS...
...BUT ITS RESIDENTS TRIED TO KILL SUPERMAN'S BEST FRIEND, SO THAT WAS ABOUT TO CHANGE.
KRAKOOM
WHERE'S PROFESSOR IVO?

YOU MUST BE A ROBIN.
AND YOU'RE THE SON, I TAKE IT?


WE NEED TO STOP THE AMAZOS.
NO. THAT WON'T BE HAPPENING. WE PLANNED OUR PERSONAL OASIS HERE LONG BEFORE THE VIRUS STRUCK.
YOU THINK WE DIDN'T PREPARE TO KILL A SUPERMAN?

GUARDS?

THAT WAS PRETTY CLEARLY THE SIGNAL.
HE SHOULD BE WRITHING IN REMOTE-CONTROLLED, KRYPTONITE-INDUCED PAIN BY NOW.

I'M NOT HURTING SUPERMAN.
YEAH. WHAT DO YOU THINK WE ARE?

YOU--
>HRRRK<

HRRK!

WHAT'S HAPPENING? WHAT'S WRONG WITH THEM?
ABOVE US!

IT WAS ALWAYS PART OF CONSTANTINE'S PLAN.
RAGMAN'S CLOAK WAS FUELED BY CORRUPT SOULS.
AND JOHN KNEW JUST WHERE TO FIND THE MOST CORRUPT SOULS STILL ON EARTH.

POLITICIANS, BUSINESS LEADERS, CRIME BOSSES, AND BILLIONAIRES. ALL HAD PUT A PLAN IN PLACE TO SURVIVE AN APOCALYPSE BY PUTTING THEMSELVES FIRST.
THE NARCISSISTS, THE CRUEL, THE GREEDY...

...THEY WERE ALL ABSORBED TO GIVE CONSTANTINE ONE LAST POWER BOOST BEFORE HE FACED TRIGON.
CONSTANTINE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
OH, HEY. IT'S OKAY. THIS CLOAK ONLY TARGETS THE TRULY EVIL. IF THEY'RE IN HERE, THEY DESERVE TO BE.
THEY'LL STAY IN HERE UNTIL THEY'VE ANSWERED FOR THEIR SINS.
IT'S ABOUT JUSTICE. I THINK YOUR OLD MAN WOULD HAVE APPROVED.
I NEED TO DO THIS TO DEAL WITH SOME CERTAIN DOOM OUT THERE, BUT I'VE GOT IT COVERED, OKAY?
WANT TO BE MORE SPECIFIC?
SURE. I'M GONNA TAKE ON A DEMON WHO WILL OTHERWISE DESTROY THE PLANET.
CAN I HELP?
NO. HONESTLY, I WISH YOU COULD. BUT I'VE SEEN THAT FUTURE...AND YOU DON'T MAKE IT.
SO DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT. I'LL SAVE THE WORLD. YOU SAVE EVERYONE ON IT.
YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, JOHN CONSTANTINE.
I'M REALLY NOT. BUT I'M NOT GONNA LIE, IT'S NICE TO HEAR SUPERMAN SAY THAT.
AND THEN CONSTANTINE LEFT...TO DO THE UNTHINKABLE.

THIS JUST GOT A LOT HARDER.
I TAKE IT THERE WAS SOME SORT OF POWER STRUGGLE GOING ON HERE AND PENGUIN KILLED PROFESSOR IVO AS SOON AS HE'D LAUNCHED THE AMAZOS?
YEAH.
WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?
WE'RE NOT GETTING MUCH INFORMATION OUT OF IVO. FORTUNATELY, WE HAVE A FRIEND WHO'S A LIVING COMPUTER.
YOU STICK TO THE PLAN. DELIVER THE CURE WITH FLASH.
BUT WE'LL TAKE THE AMAZO WE TOOK OUT WITH US.

I WANTED TO THANK YOU.
YOU WANT TO THANK *US?*
YES. THANK YOU FOR NOT DOING WHATEVER COBBLEPOT WANTED YOU TO DO TO ME.
IT TAKES A HERO TO SAY NO TO PEOPLE IN POWER WHEN THEY'RE WRONG.

Magnus Labs.
Moments later, the other side of the world.
SUPERMAN. ARE THE AMAZOS DOWN?
WE RAN INTO SOME TROUBLE, CYBORG. WE'RE GOING TO NEED YOUR HELP.
WHAT ARE YOU THINKING?
I'M THINKING WE CRACK OPEN THIS AMAZO AND WORK OUT HOW THEY TRANSMIT TO EACH OTHER.
AND THEN WE USE THAT TO INFECT ALL THEIR SYSTEMS.
ARE YOU SUGGESTING WE GIVE THE AMAZO ARMY...A VIRUS?
I REALIZE YOU'RE PROBABLY OVER VIRUSES BY NOW, BUT YES. THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT I'M SUGGESTING.
BUT, YOU KNOW, A REGULAR VIRUS. NOT ONE THAT TURNS SUPER-STRONG ROBOTS INTO AGENTS OF THE ANTI-LIVING.
WHILE YOU'RE WORKING ON THAT, FLASH AND I NEED TO MOVE FAST. WE NEED TO GET AHEAD OF THE AMAZOS. CURE EVERYONE IN THEIR PATH.
THERE ARE TWO BILLION PEOPLE OUT THERE WHO CAN BE SAVED, FLASH. YOU READY?
SURE. I'LL RACE YOU.

THE RACE FOR HUMANITY BEGAN...
YOU TAKE EUROPE AND AFRICA.
I'LL TAKE NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA. WE'LL HIT ASIA TOGETHER.
FINALLY, THE FIRST PEOPLE WERE CURED OF THE ANTI-LIFE EQUATION.
SUPERMAN FOUND IT HARD. HAVING TO LEAVE THOSE HE SAVED SO CONFUSED. SO LOST.
WHAT HAPPENED? I DON'T...
HE KNEW HE HAD TO IGNORE THEM. TO PUSH ON.
BUT AS SUPERMAN'S TELESCOPIC VISION GLIMPSED EUROPE...

...THERE WAS SOMETHING HE COULDN'T IGNORE.
YOU SHOULD HAVE STAYED OUT OF THIS, JUDAS.
HNNG.
ZATANNA.
UP YOU HOP.
JOHN? YOU CAME?
OF COURSE I DID. JUST HAD TO GET A LITTLE MORE PREPARED.
NOW, IF YOU'RE UP FOR IT, I JUST NEED TWO THINGS FROM YOU.
WHAT DO YOU NEED?
I NEED YOU TO HOLD THIS FOR A LITTLE LATER AND...I NEED YOU TELL ME I CAN DO THIS.
I GAVE CONSTANTINE A FINAL PIECE OF MAGIC.
NHOJ. UOY NAC KCIK S'NOGIRT SSA.

OKAY. AS MUCH AS I KIND OF ENJOY SEEING THE STRANGER TRODDEN ON, LET HIM UP.
HA! JOHN CONSTANTINE. YOU'VE COLLECTED SOME TOYS.
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA OF THE ETERNITY OF TORMENT WAITING FOR YOU IN HELL?
I HAVE SOME INKLING, YEAH.
THE DEMONS YOU'VE ANGERED. THE PAIN YOU WILL ENDURE, THE NEVER-ENDING NIGHTMARE THAT WILL--
OH, SHUT UP.
WITH THE SPEED OF MERCURY...

...CONSTANTINE HIT WITH THE POWER OF ZEUS, WITH THE STRENGTH OF HERCULES, ENHANCED BY ALL OF THE FORCE IMBUED BY THE LORDS OF ORDER AND WITH HUNDREDS OF ANGRY, CURSED SOULS BEHIND THE BLOW.
KRAKOW

IN SHORT, JOHN DECKED A FREAKING DEMON.
THUD

HE CHOSE HIS BLOWS WITH A COMBINATION OF THE WISDOM OF SOLOMON AND THE DIRTY TRICKS HE'D LEARNED OVER A LIFETIME OF AVOIDING FIGHTS.
KRAKOOM
HRARGH!
WITH MADAME XANADU'S CRYSTAL BALL IN HAND, JOHN COULD SEE THE FUTURE, SO HE COULD STAY A FRACTION IN FRONT OF TRIGON'S ATTACKS.
HE USED EVERYTHING HE HAD.
HE ACCESSED OTHER DIMENSIONS.
HE CALLED ON IMPRISONED SOULS AND ANCIENT GODS.

IT WASN'T ENOUGH.
I'LL SEE YOU IN HELL, MAGICIAN. I LOOK FORWARD TO MAKING YOU PAY FOR YOUR LITTLE TRICKS HERE.
JOHN!
B...BYE... ZEE...

THERE WAS A MOMENT OF UTTER DESPAIR. WHEN I KNEW WE'D LOST.
WHEN I KNEW WE HAD NO FUTURE.
NARGH!
KENDRA!
AROUND THE WORLD, OUR HEROES COULDN'T RESIST ANY LONGER.
OUR GODS WERE FALLING.
THE FASTEST MAN ON EARTH WASN'T GOING TO BE FAST ENOUGH.

I SHOULD HAVE HAD MORE FAITH...
I THINK WE HAVE IT.

...BECAUSE OUR HEROES HAD ALWAYS FOUND A WAY.
THERE'S A THIRTY PERCENT CHANCE THAT WHEN WE TURN THIS ON, THE AMAZO HEAD JUST WAKES UP AND KILLS US ALL.

BETTER ODDS THAN USUAL.
DO IT, VICTOR STONE.

ZZZZZZ
IN THE LABORATORY WHERE A CURE WAS MANUFACTURED, A HUMANITY-SAVING INFECTION WAS DEVELOPED.

AND THE AMAZOS FELL...
ZZZT
ZZZT

THEY DID IT. THEY ACTUALLY DID IT!
...ALL OVER THE WORLD.

WHILE THE AMAZOS FELL, THERE WAS STILL A DEMON SCORCHING THE EARTH...

...BUT THEN HE SHOWED UP.
STOP!
I HAVE JUST KILLED A BEING CONNECTED TO THE MOST POWERFUL MAGICS IN THE UNIVERSE.
YOU ARE A SPECK.
AND THIS SPECK SAID STOP.
CONSTANTINE HAD SEEN THE FUTURE. HE KNEW JON WOULD DIE IF HE FACED TRIGON.
BUT SUPERMAN WAS FASTER THAN FATE.
STRONGER THAN THE INEVITABLE.
ABLE TO LEAP THE DIVIDE BETWEEN REALITY AND THE IMPOSSIBLE.
AND FOR ONE SHINING MOMENT, A MORTAL MAN HELD BACK THE DEVIL.
HOW THE HELL?

HE'S #%@#%#% IMPRESSIVE, ISN'T HE?

JOHN? YOU'RE--?
YEP. I'M A DEAD MAN.
IT SUCKS, BUT THIS WAS THE PLAN. I WASN'T JUST BEING A #%@#% WHEN I TOOK BOSTON BRAND'S POWER.
ALL THAT MAGIC I STOLE, I'M STILL CONNECTED TO IT. IT'S STILL COURSING THROUGH MY SOUL.

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
I'M SAYING I'M THE MOST POWERFUL DEAD THING EVER SEEN.
MEANING I HAVE THE POWER TO DO...

...THIS.

JOHN HAD TAKEN DEADMAN'S POWER.
THE POWER TO CONTROL A BEING.
ALONE, THAT POWER WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ENOUGH TO TAKE OVER TRIGON...
...BUT WITH EVERYTHING ELSE JOHN WAS CONNECTED TO WHEN HE DIED...

...HE WAS ABLE TO FIGHT FOR COMMAND.
GET OUT, LITTLE MAGICIAN.
NAH.
IF HE'D HAD A CHOICE, JOHN WOULD HAVE FOUND A WAY TO LIVE FOREVER.

BUT AS FAR AS LAST ACTS GO, TURNING AN ANCIENT, MALEVOLENT EVIL INTO HIS PERSONAL PUPPET WAS VERY ON-BRAND FOR JOHN CONSTANTINE.
ZEE. I'LL TAKE THAT SPEAR NOW.

JOHN CONSTANTINE WAS NEVER BIG ON SACRIFICES.
WHAT IS THAT?
THIS, SQUIRE...?
HE'D SACRIFICED OTHERS FOR THE GREATER GOOD, BUT HE'D ALWAYS AVOIDED BEING THAT GUY.

...THIS IS DESTINY.
SHINK
BUT WHEN THE WORLD NEEDED HIM TO BE THAT GUY, HE SAID @#$% IT. AND DID THE HARD THING.
HRARRGH!
HE STABBED THE EVIL AND HIMSELF THROUGH THE SOUL.
JOHN!
IT'S OKAY. MY SOUL WAS SET FOR AN ETERNITY OF TORMENT.
JUST DISAPPEARING, WELL, THAT'S GOING TO MAKE A LOT OF DEMONS IN HELL VERY, VERY ANNOYED.

I'LL TELL YOU WHAT.
I'LL MISS ALL THIS.
SKEVA, FSE.

FLASH!
HUH?

IT'S OKAY.
REST.
WITHOUT A RIDICULOUS NUMBER OF IMMINENT THREATS, WE COULD SLOW DOWN.

WE COULD SHARE THE LOAD.
WE BEGAN SAVING EVERYONE.
WE'LL TAKE OVER.
THEY SHARED THE LOAD. THEY BEGAN SAVING EVERYONE.

WE SPREAD OVER THE WORLD, RIDDING IT OF INFECTION.
YOU DID IT, CYBORG.
WE WERE able TO CURE TWO BILLION PEOPLE...
...INCLUDING FRIENDS...
GARTH. TEMPEST. IT'S OKAY.
...LEADERS...
Themyscira.
THANK YOU, CASSANDRA.
IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU, HIPPOLYTA. MY QUEEN.
...AND FAMILY.
Smallville.
JON? YOU'VE GROWN.
HI, GRANDPA.

SO MANY WE LOST WERE FOUND AGAIN.
PRETTY BIRD?
I THOUGHT... I THOUGHT I DIED.
I MADE YOU A PROMISE, OLLIE.
I BROUGHT YOU BACK.
WE BROUGHT THEM ALL BACK.
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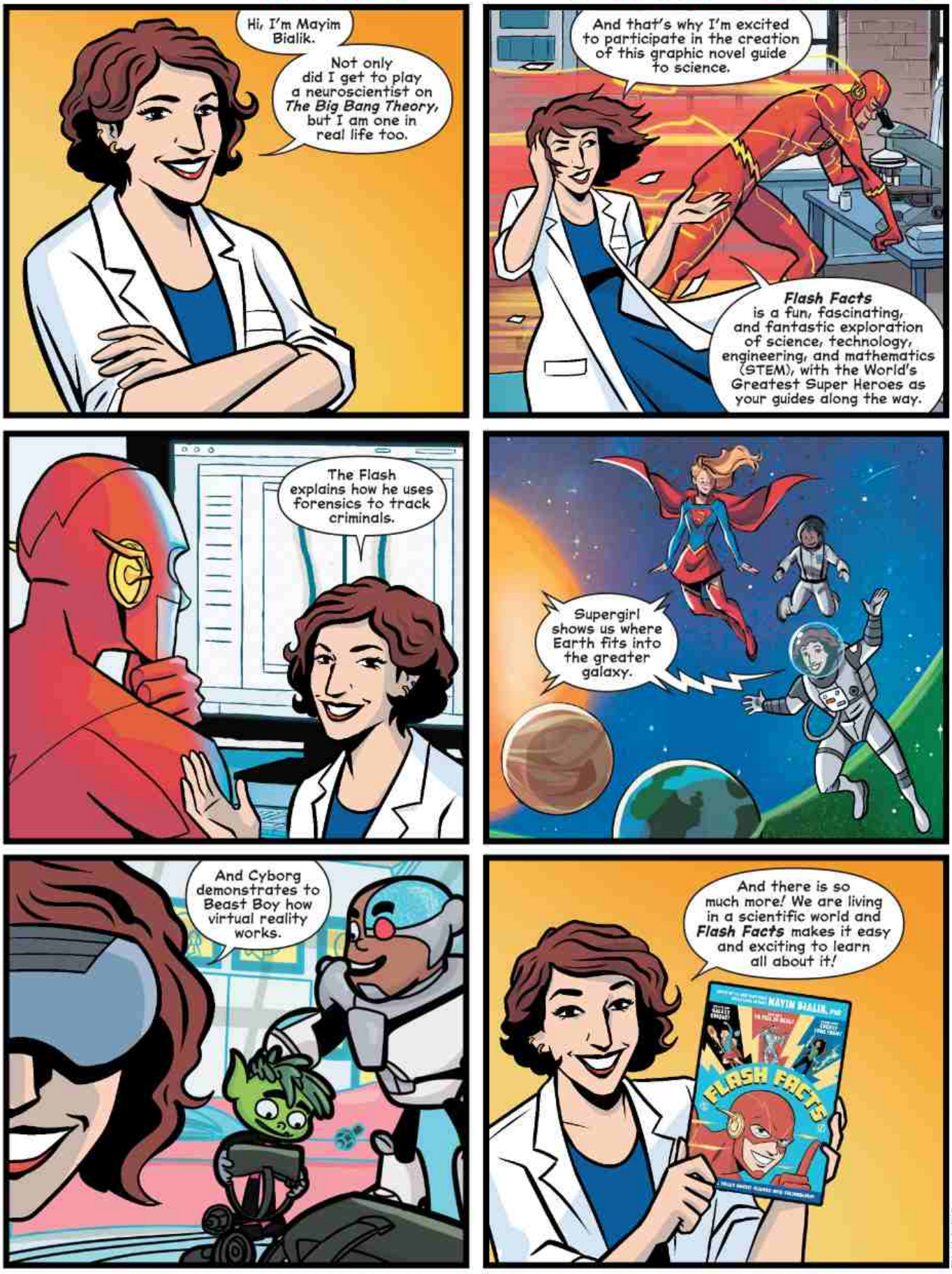
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In the vast timeline of DC Future State, while Yara Flor takes the mantle of the Amazon warrior in *Future State: Wonder Woman* and *Future State: Justice League*, *Future State: Immortal Wonder Woman* catches up with Diana of Themyscira all the way at the end of time. The series also features Wonder Woman's twin sister, Nubia, returning to Man's World in the much-nearer future.

"Immortality, while attractive in some respects, means watching everyone you love die," says co-writer Michael W. Conrad. "Diana definitely has to face herself in a way she's never had to before," says co-writer Becky Cloonan. "She has to answer the question: Why does she keep fighting when there is seemingly nothing left to fight for?"

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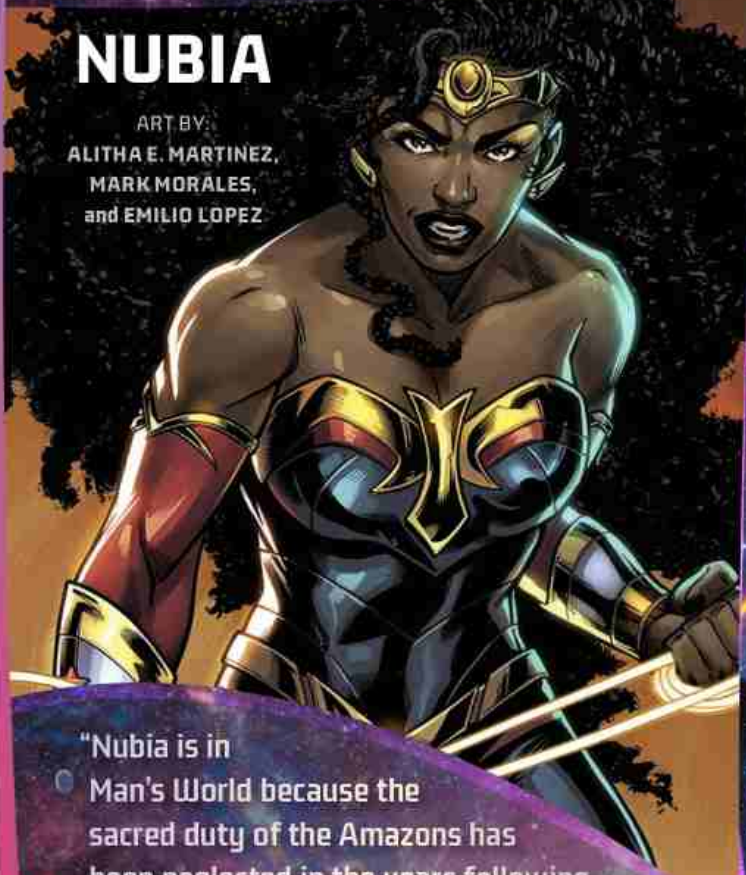

"Nubia is in Man's World because the sacred duty of the Amazons has been neglected in the years following the war," says writer L.L. McKinney. "She spent her formative years observing mortals. Having established a connection with this place and its inhabitants, she is keen to help them where and when she can. This is her world, and she will not abandon it."

IMMORTAL WONDER WOMAN

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